

California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Thursday, December 3, 2020
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- **Day 1 (Thursday):** Critical to Extreme fire weather conditions continue across the Los Angeles and Ventura County Mountains today and tonight where winds will locally gust to 50-70 mph and very low humidity is expected.

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WEATHER KEY POINTS

12/03/20 - 12/09/20

Thursday-Wednesday

- Widespread critical fire weather conditions will continue across much of southwest California due to strong Santa Ana winds gusting 50-70 mph at times and very low humidity through Saturday.
 - The strongest winds are expected through late this afternoon, with gusts gradually decreasing tonight into Saturday.
- Long swell event across northern California coast through Friday, with the potential for sneaker waves and rip currents
- Rain is expected across NW CA on Saturday, otherwise dry conditions are expected for the rest of the state.
- Another round of stronger Santa Ana winds possible over southwest California by Monday and Tuesday.



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

12/03/20 - 12/09/20

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds	Southern/ S Inland	Southern/ S Inland	Southern			Southern	Southern
Snow							
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Southern/ S Inland	Southern/ S Inland	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow							
Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST

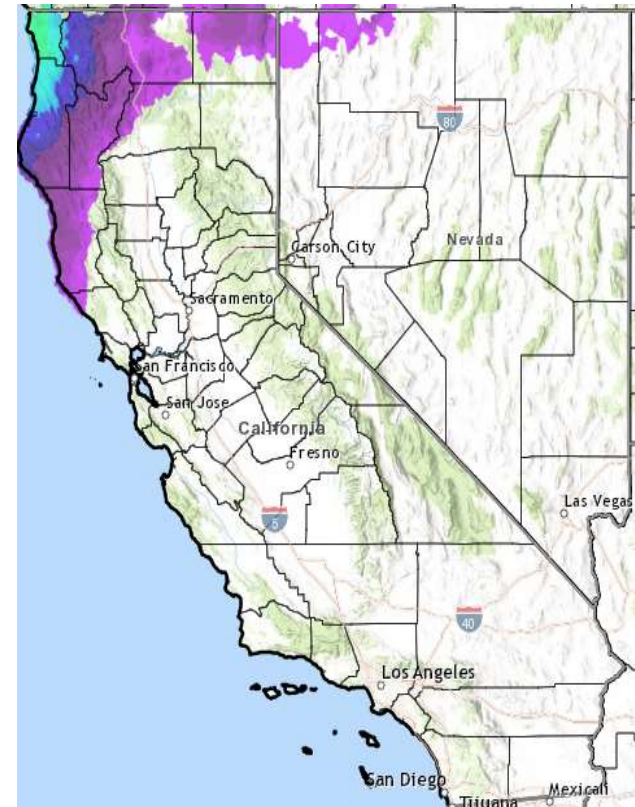
12/03/20 - 12/05/20



Thursday



Friday



Saturday

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

12/08/20 - 12/16/20

6-10 Day Outlook (December 7 – December 11)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures expected statewide

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation expected statewide

8-14 Day Outlook (December 9 – December 15)

Temperatures

- Near-normal temperatures expected statewide

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation expected statewide



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